

DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION

LIQUOR CONTROL DIVISION

MINUTES

MEETING PLACE: Commission Meeting Room - Room 124

MEETING DATE: January 25, 2007 - 8:30 a.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Gary Koval, Liquor Control Commissioner

STAFF PRESENT: Elisa Nahas, Commissioner Designee  
Gerald C. Langlais, Administrator of Liquor Control  
Jack Suchy, Director of Liquor Control  
Lynn Fiore, Staff Attorney  
(8:30 a.m. - 8:40 a.m.)  
Mary Ellen Gillon, Paralegal Specialist  
(8:30 a.m. - 8:35 a.m.)  
Diana Sedok, Secretary

HEARINGS - Mary Ellen Gillon:

1. **ALI, MURJIBUR - LGB.14054**  
Remove from hearings. Application has been withdrawn.
2. **BORGES, VASCO - LPC.225**  
Remove from hearings. Fire marshal certificate has been received.
3. **JOHNSON, MARJORIE - LPA.16**  
Remove from hearings. Fire marshal certificate has been received.
4. **MURPHY, ROBERT - LRW.4110**  
Remove from hearings. Fire marshal certificate has been received.
5. **SANTOS, STEVEN - LIR.16537**  
Remove from hearings. Fire marshal certificate has been received.

6. **TOUSSAS, MARIA - LIR.14350**  
After compliance meeting, commission takes no further action on alleged violation of section 30-6-A24(g) and section 30-54. Would accept offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of \$100 for remaining violations.
7. **JONES, JAMES - LIP.12043**  
After compliance meeting, commission accepts offer in compromise in lieu of hearing of 3 days and \$800 for incident of 7/21/06 and file appropriate documents to correct ownership issues by February 1, 2007. Commission takes no further action on incidents of 3/15/05 and 4/4/06.

DISCUSSION - Lynn Fiore:

1. **FORREST, MELODY - LIH.1646**  
Commission would accept 1 day suspension and \$375 civil penalty to resolve alleged 9/16/06 violation of 30-91(a) (after hours).
2. **SCHMIEG JR., ROBERT - LCA.6615**  
Commission would accept 3 days suspension and \$3,000 civil penalty to resolve violations alleged pursuant to 7/13/06 special investigation.

PROVISIONAL PERMITS:

1. **MECCARIELLO, MATTHEW - LIR.17274** Tequila Cove, Storrs  
Ok to issue provisional permit when in receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, cancel permit LIR.16416, bill of sale, seller's affidavit, proof of right of occupancy for backer LLC, copy of sales and use tax permit, list of liquor inventory purchased, outstanding documents from pending transfer of stock from 2005. Endorse patio.
2. **KUMAR, BALWINDER - LGB.14113** Cove Market, Stamford  
Ok to issue provisional permit when in receipt of stipulated agreement, \$500 fee, completion of application (section's J, M & N), articles of organization from the Secretary of the State Office, financial affidavit.

PROVISIONAL PERMIT EXTENSION:

1. **VECCHIARINO, RICHARD - LIR.17248** Richard's Pub & 7 Grill, Ivoryton  
Extension of provisional permit has been approved. Request to waive section 30-6-A36(b), wholesalers period of credit, on provisional permit has been approved.

FINAL PERMITS:

1. **BLENHEIM VINEYARD LLC - LSW.230** Charlottesville, VA  
No requirements. Ok to issue final permit.
2. **WINESOURCE LLC - LSW.234** Graton, CA  
No requirements. Ok to issue final permit.
3. **DONATI FAMILY VINEYARD LLC - LSW.247** Paicines, CA  
No requirements. Ok to issue final permit.
4. **PETRIZZO, JAMES - LIR.17213** Carrabba's Italian Grill, Manchester  
Ok to issue final permit when in receipt of 8 x 10 photos of exterior and interior. Remove patio endorsement.

OTHER:

1. **WALSH, LANCE - LIP.13563** Big Dollar Liquors, Bristol  
Request to clean floors during suspension on February 5, February 6 and February 7, 2007 has been approved.
2. **GROTH, JAMES - LOL.36** Mountainside Outing Club, Wallingford  
Assigned to hearing for section 30-46(a)(5), right to occupy permit premises.

3. **KARLAN, KENNETH - LRW.4398** Artful Cinema, Bethel  
Commission discussed letter dated January 19, 2007 from permittee. Jack  
Suchy, Director of Liquor Control, to draft letter in response.

Adjourned at 9:00 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Gerald C. Langlais  
Administrator of Liquor Control

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